Research Service who applied for review of their earlier assessment results is as under :—

Grade	Number
S	101
	786
	291
S-3	143
S-4	2
TOTAL	1323

(b) Some of the reviewee scientists, who had been promoted earlier wanted the date of their promotion advanced. Others who had not got the promotions requested for promotion on review of their earlier assessment results. The number in each category is given below :

	No. of scientists	
	Whose date of promotion was advanced on review	Who were not promoted earlier but were promoted on review
s .	23	7
S-l	146	109
S-2	42	45
S-3	30	13
S-4	1	••
TOTAL	242	174
GRAND TOTAL	416	

(c) Number of scientists included in (b) above granted promotion on review, but were earlier denied promotions :

(i) 2 times	52
(ii) 3 times	87
(iii) 4 times	22
TOTAL	161

(d) The scientists who applied for review had an opportunity to clarify and furnish additional/supplementary material in support of their claim for promotion, which was based on job accomplishment with respect to the goals assigned in the areas of resident instruction, research and extension education during the period under consideration Assessment Committees consisting of Subject Matter Specialists and eminent scientists gave due consideration to the constraints faced by the scientists and on re-examination based on their collective judgement revised the earlier results. Such revision took place only in about 31 per cent cases.

Verification of Lists of Members of Group Housing Societies

411. SHRI CHANDRIKA PRASAD TRIPATHI : Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) the number of Group Housing; Societies which had applied to the office of Registrar, Cooperative Societies, Delhi for verification of me lists of members during the period, from the 1st July, 1988 *to* the 30th June 1989 and how many of them have been cleared and forwarded to the Delhi Development Authority for fixing the dates for draw ;

(b) what are the reasons **for** such **a long** delay when the societies fulfil the requirements as desired in their Memo of twenty points ;

(c) what action Government have taken or propose to take against

the dealing officials who deliberately harass the societies .; and

(d) the steps Government pro pose to take to clear the pending applications of societies at an early date?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH) : (a)

(i) No. of Soieties which applied verification=61.

(ii) No. of Societies of which for list cleared=39.

(b) The Registrar of Coopeative Societies has intimated that the list in regard to 22 societies have not been cleared because they have not furnished complete records.

(c) Does not arise in view of reply to part (b). However, any individual complaint can be taken notice of by the Registrar Cooperative Societies for disciplinary action.

(d) Existing procedure is being constantly reviewed to bring about improvements and cut down delays

412. *[Transferred to the 26th July, 1989.]*

Bonded Labourers in the Country

413. SHRI JAGADISH JANI Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state :

(a) the names of the States where bonded labourers had been identified during the last three years stating the number of bonded labourers identified, State-wise ; and

(b) the steps taken by Government for the rehabilitation of those Labourers ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI RADHA KRISHAN MALAVIYA) : (a) A statement prepared on the basis of the information supplied by the State Governments showing the number of bonded labour identified in various States during the years 1986-87, 1987-88 and 1988-89 is attached. *(See* below).

(b) The responsibility for identification, release and rehabilitation of bonded labourers under the Bonded Labour System (Abolition) Act, 1976 rests with the State Government concerned. In order to supplement the efforts of the State Governments, the Central Government has, since 1978-79, been operating a Centrally Sponsored Scheme for Rehabilitation of Bonded Labour under which an amount up to a maximum of Rs. 6,250 - is provided for rehabilitation of a bonded labour, half of which is paid by the Central Government as Central share. Another plan scheme for involvement of voluntary agencies in iden tification and rehabilitation of bonded labour has also been launched on 30th October, 1987.

Statement

Name of the **State**	**Number of bonded labourers identified**		
	During 1986-87	**During 1987-88**	**During 1988-89**
1	**2**	**3**	**4**
Andhra Pradesh	**1952** 1100	7214*	Not reported 50
Bihar Gujarat		236	
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